

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION**

360 VIRTUAL DRONE SERVICES LLC and )  
MICHAEL JONES, )  
 )  
Plaintiffs, )

v. )

ANDREW L. RITTER, in his official capacity )  
as Executive Director of the North Carolina )  
Board of Examiners for Engineers and )  
Surveyors; and JOHN M. LOGSDON, )  
JONATHAN S. CARE, DENNIS K. HOYLE, )  
TOYNIA E.S. GIBBS, VINOD K. GOEL, )  
CEDRIC D. FAIRBANKS, BRENDA L. )  
MOORE, CAROL SALLOUM, and ANDREW )  
G. ZOUTWELLE, in their official capacities as )  
members of the North Carolina Board of )  
Examiners for Engineers and Surveyors, )  
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Defendants. )

Case No.: 5:21-cv-00137-FL

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**PLAINTIFFS' NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Plaintiffs 360 Virtual Drone Services LLC and Michael Jones hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit from this Court's final judgment in this action entered on March 31, 2023 (ECF 51). Plaintiffs 360 Virtual Drone Services LLC and Michael Jones also appeal from this Court's order in this action (ECF 50, entered March 31, 2023) granting Defendants' motion for summary judgment and denying Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment.\*

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\* Toynia E.S. Gibbs and Vinod K. Goel are automatically substituted as parties in their official capacity for Defendants Richard M. Benton and Carl M. Ellington, Jr., respectively. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(d); *see also* Fed. R. App. P. 43(c)(2).

Dated: April 25, 2023.

Respectfully submitted,

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83.1(e)*

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I hereby certify that on this 25th day of April, 2023, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Plaintiffs' Notice of Appeal was electronically filed with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing and, pursuant to Local Civil Rule 5.1(e), shall constitute service upon, the following:

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